

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: §
Mark A. Sovik § Art Unit: Unknown
Serial No.: Unknown §
Filed: Herewith § Examiner: Unknown
For: ON-LINE DATA COMPRESSION §
ANALYSIS AND REGULATION §
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(1824-117/DLH)

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Page 4, line 25, change "116, rather" to --118, rather--.
Page 4, line 25, change "116 elsewhere" to --118 elsewhere--.
Page 5, line 1, change "116" to --118--.
Page 6, line 10, change "116" to --118--.
Page 7, line 3, change "116" to --118--.
Page 15, line 12, change "64" to --16--.
Page 15, line 14, change "16" to --64--.